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Sent: 10/28/2019 5:31:40 PM
To: Lafd Cupa [LafdCupa@lacity.org]
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Subject: Re: 210 W Slauson Clearance

Hi Marcus,

LA City Fire directed the contractor to the CUPA for this clearance. I spoke with Eric Bald at LA County Health Hazmat, and he indicated that this is likely a City issue.

We are quickly approaching the rainy season and this soil needs to be removed. Please do what you can to avert another release to the storm water system.

Thank you,

Ben Castellana Ph.D.
On-Scene Coordinator
US EPA Region 9
Superfund Emergency Response
(562) 305-0694

On Oct 28, 2019, at 1:14 PM, Lafd Cupa <LafdCupa@lacity.org> wrote:

Good morning Brett

Los Angeles Fire Department did not involve in the site clean up phase of this facility and we are unable to issue a clearance letter. You may contact the Los Angeles County Fire Department, Health Haz Mat Division and request a clearance from them. They are at 5825 Rickenbacker Road, Commerce CA 90040, Phone # is 323-890-4045.

Marcus

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<http://www.lafd.org/fire-prevention/cupa>

<https://www.lafd.org/fire-prevention/cupa/documents-forms>

For the CERS portal:

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On Thu, Oct 24, 2019 at 4:58 PM Brett Bowyer <brettbowyer@bowyerenvironmental.com> wrote:

To whom it may concern at the Los Angeles Fire Department CUPA,

Investigation and remediation is on-going at the subject site under the direction of the United States EPA (EPA) and California Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB). A site assessment has already been performed and a shallow soil excavation has been approved by both the EPA and RWQCB.

In order to implement the shallow soil excavation program, we need to obtain a grading permit for 210 W. Slauson and for 216 W. Slauson. Per the LA City Clearance Summary Worksheet associated with the Grading Permit Application, we are required to get clearance from the Los Angeles City Fire Department. That is all we are requesting from the Los Angeles Fire Department CUPA. To date the only response we have received from the Fire Department is the below referral to <https://www.lafd.org> for information on providing a site assessment.

For your reference , I have attached a copy of the Site Assessment and approval letter from the RWQCB. You can reach Ben Castellana of the EPA at 562/305-0694.

Could you please issue the clearance so that the grading permit can be granted and we can move forward with the approved soil excavation program?

Thank you.

Brett Bowyer, P.G.

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From: Alan Malagon <alanmalagon@bowyerenvironmental.com>

Sent: Thursday, October 24, 2019 4:27 PM

To: Brett Bowyer <brettbowyer@bowyerenvironmental.com>

Subject: Re: 210 W Slauson Clearance

Hi Brett,

See LAFD-CUPAS response bellow.

Thank you,

Alan

From: joy.emanuel@lacity.org <joy.emanuel@lacity.org> on behalf of Lafd Cupa
<LafdCupa@lacity.org>

Sent: Thursday, October 24, 2019 4:15 PM

To: Alan Malagon

Subject: Re: 210 W Slauson Clearance

Hi,

Please go to our website <https://www.lafd.org> for information on a site assessment

<https://www.lafd.org/fire-prevention/cupa/underground-storage-tank>

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On Mon, Oct 21, 2019 at 6:03 PM Alan Malagon <alanmalagon@bowyerenvironmental.com> wrote:

Greetings,

I visited the Fire Department at 201 N. Figueroa Street today and I was referred by Bill Johns to contact LAFD CUPA. We are in process of grading permit application clearance. One of the items is to obtain approval for removal of TPH and Benzene impacted soil from the Los Angeles Fire Department. I was wondering what would be required by LAFD CUPA for this efforts. We have obtained EPA and Waterboard workplan approval for this work. I will be following up with a phone call tomorrow morning. Looking forward to hearing from you.

Warm Regards,

Alan A. Malagón, MSE, EIT

Staff Engineer



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